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for: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR GENERATING A COUPON

- ☒ This application is a:
- ☐ CONTINUATION
 - ☒ CONTINUATION-IN-PART
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of prior application no(s): 08/920,116 filed August 26, 1997 which is a Continuation-In-Part of Ser. No. 08/822,709 filed March 21, 1997

- ☒ With respect to the inventorship of the co-pending parent application, from which this application claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120, the inventor(s) in this application is (are) less than those named in the co-pending parent application and the following inventor(s) should be deleted from this application:

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